

# General Dental Services Reform Programme Status Report

## September 2019

#### Programme Update

- Engagement sessions held in Cardiff, Swansea and Llandudno.
- Shared Decision Making run by HEIW CPD session held for clinicians and time spent with each HB running through the end of year monitoring report.
- 42 new practices joining the programme from October 2019 have been confirmed (see breakdown below).
- Information shared with Health Boards to agree the practices moving to Stage 2.
- ACORN and the guidance has been updated and shared with all GDS reform practices. GDS practices becoming familiar with 'need and risk' assessment of their practice population. Teams using ACORN findings to guide prevention, treatment and use of the skills of the whole team in care delivery.
- 1st Quarter and end of year monitoring reports available from NHS BSA.

# Key Reports and Dates

Annual programme report will be produced by the programme team by end of October 2019

Quarterly monitoring reports will be provided directly from NHS BSA via the usual route.

Date expected	Reporting period	For who
Nov-19	Mid-Year Report 2019/20	All GDS reform practices and HBs
Jan-20	Quarterly Report 2019/20	All GDS reform practices – including new sites who join in October 2019 and HBs

# Risks, Issues & Decisions

Further FP17W changes have been requested and agreed with NHSBSA for 2019-20, including ability to report all activities carried out by DCPs via FP17Ws. There has been some delay in implementing these changes. Awaiting date from NHSBSA for completion/roll-out.

# Activities for the Next Reporting Period

- Work has started on reviewing current dental legislation and identifying changes to support the GDS Reform Programme.
- GDS Q&S group meeting in October with NHS BSA colleagues who will share with DPAs how to ensure correct interpretation of the new monitoring reports.
- Work with HBs in supporting practices to move to stage 2

   confirm with HB the practices who will be moving by
   Oct 1st.
- Welsh Government 1<sup>st</sup> round Innovation Fund distributed - recruitment and increase in DCPs realised. Round 2 new investment information to be circulated by October – focus on access for adults
- Feedback received on quarterly and end of year reports will be provided to the NHSBSA.
- Scope venues and dates for Dental Symposium 2020.
- Steering group meeting due to be held on 30<sup>th</sup> September 2019.

#### Programme Engagement Opportunities

Further engagement sessions will be arranged in 2020

If Health Boards are planning to arrange any meetings or workshops in addition to the ones organised by the programme team for practices who are interested in joining the programme please get in touch. Wherever possible a member of the programme team would try to be there to answer any questions.

If you have any queries, comments or would like to provide input into ongoing work please contact the Project Manager Raylene.Roper@wales.nhs.uk

# GDS Reform Practices by Health Board

Health Board	New practices joining as of Oct 1st 2019	Total practices from Oct 1st.
Cwm Taf Morgannwg	4	22
Aneurin Bevan	9	29
Cardiff & Vale	9	24
Hywel Dda	4	14
Swansea Bay	5	18
Betsi Cadwaladr	11	24
Powys	0	5